

REMARKS

Claims 1-25 are now pending in this application. Claims 18 is rejected. Claims 1-17, 19 and 20 are allowed. Claim 18 is amended herein to clarify the invention, to broaden language as deemed appropriate and to address matters of form unrelated to substantive patentability issues.

Applicant herein traverses and respectfully requests reconsideration of the rejection of the claims cited in the above-referenced Office Action.

Claim 18 is rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph, as containing subject matter which was not described in the specification in such a way as to reasonably convey to one skilled in the art that the inventor had possession of the invention at the time the application was filed. The claim is amended to replace the term "implementable" with the term "operable," as originally recited. Therefore, reconsideration of the rejection and allowance of the claims are earnestly solicited.

Claims 21-25 are added and are submitted as patentable over the cited art of record insofar as they recite features not believed disclosed in the cited art of record in the manner claimed. Independent claim 21 is directed to a method of anchoring an article within an enclosure which includes disposing support structure within the enclosure, and in which a portion of the support structure presents a widened support expanse sized and configured to extend over a substantial portion of the internal region of the enclosure. Similarly, independent claim 24 is directed to a kit which includes at least one support element including structure presenting a widened support expanse, a periphery of which is sized to extend over a substantial area of a bottom of the enclosure when received therein. Support for these claimed features

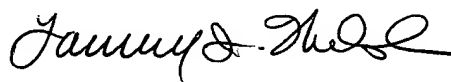
of both claims 21 and 24 can be found at column 7, lines 7-12. Support for the dependent claims can be found at the following locations in the specification. Claim 22 at column 2, lines 50-53; claim 23, at column 2, lines 4-8; and claim 25, at column 7, lines 13-19.

Five (5) claims in excess of twenty are added. Two (2) further independent claims in excess of three are added. Check No. 129 in the amount of \$129 is enclosed to cover the fee for adding the claims.

Applicant respectfully requests a four (4) month extension of time to extend the response date to April 7, 2003. Please find Check No. 127 in the amount of \$725.00 to cover the above fee which accompanies a Petition For Extension filed herewith.

In light of the foregoing, the application is now believed to be in proper form for allowance of all claims and notice to that effect is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully Submitted,



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